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1 [General storage protection techniques: Securing distributed storage: challenges, techniques, and systems](#)



Vishal Kher, Yongdae Kim

November 2005 **Proceedings of the 2005 ACM workshop on Storage security and survivability StorageSS '05**

Publisher: ACM Press

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The rapid increase of sensitive data and the growing number of government regulations that require longterm data retention and protection have forced enterprises to pay serious attention to storage security. In this paper, we discuss important security issues related to storage and present a comprehensive survey of the security services provided by the existing storage systems. We cover a broad range of the storage security literature, present a critical review of the existing solutions, compare ...

Keywords: authorization, confidentiality, integrity, intrusion detection, privacy

2 [Decentralized storage systems: Ivy: a read/write peer-to-peer file system](#)



Athicha Muthitacharoen, Robert Morris, Thomer M. Gil, Benjie Chen

December 2002 **ACM SIGOPS Operating Systems Review**, Volume 36 Issue SI

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Ivy is a multi-user read/write peer-to-peer file system. Ivy has no centralized or dedicated components, and it provides useful integrity properties without requiring users to fully trust either the underlying peer-to-peer storage system or the other users of the file system. An Ivy file system consists solely of a set of logs, one log per participant. Ivy stores its logs in the DHash distributed hash table. Each participant finds data by consulting all logs, but performs modifications by appendi ...

3 [Dynamic Metadata Management for Petabyte-Scale File Systems](#)

Sage A. Weil, Kristal T. Pollack, Scott A. Brandt, Ethan L. Miller

November 2004 **Proceedings of the 2004 ACM/IEEE conference on Supercomputing**

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In petabyte-scale distributed file systems that decouple read and write from metadata

operations, behavior of the metadata server cluster will be critical to overall system performance and scalability. We present a dynamic subtree partitioning and adaptive metadata management system designed to efficiently manage hierarchical metadata workloads that evolve over time. We examine the relative merits of our approach in the context of traditional workload partitioning strategies, and demonstrate the ...

4 The Vesta parallel file system



Peter F. Corbett, Dror G. Feitelson

August 1996 **ACM Transactions on Computer Systems (TOCS)**, Volume 14 Issue 3

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Full text available: pdf(649.08 KB) Additional Information: [full citation](#), [abstract](#), [references](#), [citations](#), [index terms](#), [review](#)

The Vesta parallel file system is designed to provide parallel file access to application programs running on multicomputers with parallel I/O subsystems. Vesta uses a new abstraction of files: a file is not a sequence of bytes, but rather it can be partitioned into multiple disjoint sequences that are accessed in parallel. The partitioning—which can also be changed dynamically—reduces the need for synchronization and coordination during the access. Some control over the layout ...

Keywords: data partitioning, parallel computing, parallel file system

5 Services: ELF: an efficient log-structured flash file system for micro sensor nodes



Hui Dai, Michael Neufeld, Richard Han

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An efficient and reliable file storage system is important to micro sensor nodes so that data can be logged for later asynchronous delivery across a multi-hop wireless sensor network. Designing and implementing such a file system for a sensor node faces various challenges. Sensor nodes are highly resource constrained in terms of limited runtime memory, limited persistent storage, and finite energy. Also, the flash storage medium on sensor nodes differs in a variety of ways from the traditional ...

Keywords: eeprom, file system, flash, log structured, reliability, sensor

6 The Alpine file system



M. R. Brown, K. N. Kolling, E. A. Taft

November 1985 **ACM Transactions on Computer Systems (TOCS)**, Volume 3 Issue 4

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Alpine is a file system that supports atomic transactions and is designed to operate as a service on a computer network. Alpine's primary purpose is to store files that represent databases. An important secondary goal is to store ordinary files representing documents, program modules, and the like. Unlike other file servers described in the literature, Alpine uses a log-based technique to implement atomic file update. Another unusual aspect of Alpine is that it performs all commu ...

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Access Control Models and Mechanisms: Cryptographic access control in a distributed file system



Anthony Harrington, Christian Jensen

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Traditional access control mechanisms rely on a reference monitor to mediate access to protected resources. Reference monitors are inherently centralized and existing attempts to distribute the functionality of the reference monitor suffer from problems of scalability. Cryptographic access control is a new distributed access control paradigm designed for a global federation of information systems. It defines an implicit access control mechanism, which relies exclusively on cryptography to provide ...

Keywords: access control, cryptography, network file systems

8 [Decentralized storage systems: Farsite: federated, available, and reliable storage for an incompletely trusted environment](#)



Atul Adya, William J. Bolosky, Miguel Castro, Gerald Cermak, Ronnie Chaiken, John R. Douceur, Jon Howell, Jacob R. Lorch, Marvin Theimer, Roger P. Wattenhofer
December 2002 **ACM SIGOPS Operating Systems Review**, Volume 36 Issue 5

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Farsite is a secure, scalable file system that logically functions as a centralized file server but is physically distributed among a set of untrusted computers. Farsite provides file availability and reliability through randomized replicated storage; it ensures the secrecy of file contents with cryptographic techniques; it maintains the integrity of file and directory data with a Byzantine-fault-tolerant protocol; it is designed to be scalable by using a distributed hint mechanism and delegatio ...

9 [801 storage: architecture and programming](#)



Albert Chang, Mark F. Mergen

February 1988 **ACM Transactions on Computer Systems (TOCS)**, Volume 6 Issue 1**Publisher:** ACM PressFull text available: pdf(1.87 MB) Additional Information: [full citation](#), [abstract](#), [references](#), [citings](#), [index terms](#), [review](#)

Based on novel architecture, the 801 minicomputer project has developed a low-level storage manager that can significantly simplify storage programming in subsystems and applications. The storage manager embodies three ideas: (1) large virtual storage, to contain all temporary data and permanent files for the active programs; (2) the innovation of database storage, which has implicit properties of access serializability and atomic update, similar to those o ...

10 [FS2: dynamic data replication in free disk space for improving disk performance and energy consumption](#)



Hai Huang, Wanda Hung, Kang G. Shin

October 2005 **ACM SIGOPS Operating Systems Review , Proceedings of the twentieth ACM symposium on Operating systems principles SOSP '05**, Volume 39 Issue 5

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Disk performance is increasingly limited by its head positioning latencies, i.e., seek time and rotational delay. To reduce the head positioning latencies, we propose a novel technique that *dynamically* places copies of data in file system's *free blocks* according to

the disk access patterns observed at runtime. As one or more replicas can now be accessed in addition to their original data block, choosing the "nearest" replica that provides fastest access can significantly improve pe ...

Keywords: data replication, disk layout reorganization, dynamic file system, free disk space

11 The architecture of robust publishing systems



Marc Waldman, Aviel D. Rubin, Lorrie Faith Cranor

November 2001 **ACM Transactions on Internet Technology (TOIT)**, Volume 1 Issue 2

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The Internet in its present form does not protect content from censorship. It is straightforward to trace any document back to a specific Web server, and usually directly to an individual. As we discuss below, there are valid reasons for publishing a document in a censorship-resistant manner. Unfortunately, few tools exist that facilitate this form of publishing. We describe the architecture of robust systems for publishing content on the Web. The discussion is in the context of Publius, as that ...

Keywords: Censorship resistance, Web publishing

12 PARADISE: an advanced featured parallel file system



Maciej Brodowicz, Olin Johnson

July 1998 **Proceedings of the 12th international conference on Supercomputing**

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13 Affinity-based management of main memory database clusters



Minwen Ji

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We study management strategies for main memory database clusters that are interposed between Internet applications and back-end databases as content caches. The task of management is to allocate data across individual cache databases and to route queries to the appropriate databases for execution. The goal is to maximize effective cache capacity and to minimize synchronization cost. We propose an affinity-based management system for main memory database cLusters (*ALBUM*). *ALBUM* executes ea ...

Keywords: Main memory database, clustering, database administration, database cluster, file organization, query affinity, scalability

14 HFS: a performance-oriented flexible file system based on building-block compositions



Orran Krieger, Michael Stumm

August 1997 **ACM Transactions on Computer Systems (TOCS)**, Volume 15 Issue 3

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The Hurricane File System (HFS) is designed for (potentially large-scale) shared-memory multiprocessors. Its architecture is based on the principle that, in order to maximize performance for applications with diverse requirements, a file system must support a wide variety of file structures, file system policies, and I/O interfaces. Files in HFS are implemented using simple building blocks composed in potentially complex ways. This approach yields great flexibility, allowing an application ...

Keywords: customization, data partitioning, data replication, flexibility, parallel computing, parallel file system

15 [RAID: high-performance, reliable secondary storage](#)



Peter M. Chen, Edward K. Lee, Garth A. Gibson, Randy H. Katz, David A. Patterson
June 1994 **ACM Computing Surveys (CSUR)**, Volume 26 Issue 2

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Disk arrays were proposed in the 1980s as a way to use parallelism between multiple disks to improve aggregate I/O performance. Today they appear in the product lines of most major computer manufacturers. This article gives a comprehensive overview of disk arrays and provides a framework in which to organize current and future work. First, the article introduces disk technology and reviews the driving forces that have popularized disk arrays: performance and reliability. It discusses the tw ...

Keywords: RAID, disk array, parallel I/O, redundancy, storage, striping

16 [Safely executing untrusted code: Model-carrying code: a practical approach for safe execution of untrusted applications](#)



R. Sekar, V.N. Venkatakrishnan, Samik Basu, Sandeep Bhatkar, Daniel C. DuVarney
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This paper presents a new approach called *model-carrying code* (MCC) for safe execution of untrusted code. At the heart of MCC is the idea that untrusted code comes equipped with a concise high-level model of its security-relevant behavior. This model helps bridge the gap between high-level security policies and low-level binary code, thereby enabling analyses which would otherwise be impractical. For instance, users can use a fully automated verification procedure to determine if the code ...

Keywords: mobile code security, policy enforcement, sand-boxing, security policies

17 [Hive: fault containment for shared-memory multiprocessors](#)



J. Chapin, M. Rosenblum, S. Devine, T. Lahiri, D. Teodosiu, A. Gupta
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18 Operating System Structures to Support Security and Reliable Software

Theodore A. Linden

December 1976 **ACM Computing Surveys (CSUR)**, Volume 8 Issue 4**Publisher:** ACM PressFull text available: pdf(3.49 MB) Additional Information: [full citation](#), [references](#), [citations](#), [index terms](#)**19** Astrolabe: A robust and scalable technology for distributed system monitoring, management, and data mining

Robbert Van Renesse, Kenneth P. Birman, Werner Vogels

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Scalable management and self-organizational capabilities are emerging as central requirements for a generation of large-scale, highly dynamic, distributed applications. We have developed an entirely new distributed information management system called Astrolabe. Astrolabe collects large-scale system state, permitting rapid updates and providing on-the-fly attribute aggregation. This latter capability permits an application to locate a resource, and also offers a scalable way to track sys ...

Keywords: Aggregation, epidemic protocols, failure detection, gossip, membership, publish-subscribe, scalability

20 Configuration management & security: Secure sharing between untrusted users in a transparent source/binary deployment model

Eelco Dolstra

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The Nix software deployment system is based on the paradigm of *transparent source/binary deployment*: distributors deploy descriptors that build components from source, while client machines can transparently optimise such source builds by downloading pre-built binaries from remote repositories. This model combines the simplicity and flexibility of source deployment with the efficiency of binary deployment. A desirable property is *sharing* of components: if multiple users install fro ...

Keywords: configuration management, hash rewriting, secure sharing, security, software deployment, source deployment

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Abstract: One essential requirement of an electronic fund transfer (EFT) system is that institutions must be able to join together in a common EFT network, defined as an interchange, such that the EFT security of each institution is independent of the security measures implemented at other institutions. It is demonstrated how to achieve this by employing one-way function methods for personal identification number (PIN) verification, as well as for establishing end-to-end **cryptographic** keys. In the PIN verification approach, issuer based validation schemes are discussed which allow personal verification at either the terminal or at the issuer with equal security. The one-way function approach provides the designer therefore with another option and increases his flexibility to achieve business objectives. Two different end-to-end key management techniques are described and analyzed. The first one uses an end-to-end system key which can also be **combined** with a personal **key**. The **second** one generates an end-to-end key based on a node key component and a personal key. It is shown that, although the first approach is theoretically more secure, the second option offers implementation advantages in complex networks at entirely adequate security levels. (5 Refs)

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...SPECIFICATION computer to produce data using the process for
characterising user authorisation information;

(d) transmitting the **data** to the **first** computer; and

(e) **comparing** the **data** received by the **first** computer to
information on the **first** computer to determine a value and when the
value is within predetermined limits performing one of identifying a
source of the biometric information and **authorising** access from the
second other computer to information secured by the first computer.

Brief Description of...

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DIALOG(R)File 348:EUROPEAN PATENTS
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Method of software distribution protection

Software-Verteilungsschutzverfahren

Methode de protection de distribution de logiciels

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DESIGNATED STATES: DE; FR; GB

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...SPECIFICATION of the file requested, to a processing center. It is
checked whether the user is **authorized** to **access** the file, based on
credit conditions and user identification. If the user is authorized, a
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...key that is unique to the user. This information is read and checked,
and the **two keys** are **combined** in an algorithm for generating a
decryption key for decrypting the distributed file.
US patent...

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**SYSTEM, METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR A SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT
SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET PRODUIT PROGRAMME INFORMATIQUE CONCUS POUR UNE GESTION
DE CHAINE D'APPROVISIONNEMENT**

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Claims

Claim

... the network, the data relating to the sale of goods by the stores and including **second identification information** more recent than the **first identification information** ;
C) **allowing access** to the data utilizing a network-based interface;
d) **comparing** the **first identification information** with the **second identification information** ; and
e) updating the registration of the stores based on the comparison. 104.
A system...

...and including second identification information more recent than the first identification information; C) logic for **allowing access** to the data utilizing a network-based interface; d) logic for **comparing** the **first identification information** with the **second identification information** ; and
e) logic for updating the registration of the stores based on the comparison. 105...

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WPI Acc No: 2002-750107/200281
XRPX Acc No: N02-590779

Security information updating method for remotely managed computer system, involves retrieving current password from security information stored in lockable memory device, accessible during power on self test
Patent Assignee: INT BUSINESS MACHINES CORP (IBMC)
Inventor: CROMER D C; FREEMAN J W; GOODMAN S D; SPRINGFIELD R S; WARD J P
Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 002
Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week
US 20020120845	A1	20020829	US 2001793239	A	20010226	200281 B
US 6823464	B2	20041123	US 2001793239	A	20010226	200477

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2001793239 A 20010226

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
US 20020120845	A1		7 H04L-009/00	
US 6823464	B2		G06F-001/24	

Abstract (Basic): US 20020120845 A1

NOVELTY - The current password is retrieved from security information in memory device accessible only during power on self test (POST) and hard-locked prior to loading operating system. A hash is generated using the current password appended, responsive to detecting a change request within non-volatile buffer. The security information is updated according to the change request, when **hash** generated **matches** a **hash** within the buffer.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are included for the following:

- (1) Security information updating system; and
- (2) Security information updating program.

USE - For remotely managed data processing system.

ADVANTAGE - Enables authentication of a remote entity to **allow changes** by the remote entity to hard-locked security information without compromising security, closing the current void between remote manageability and security. Allows a secure client to be remotely managed.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the block diagram of the data processing system.

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Title Terms: SECURE; INFORMATION; UPDATE; METHOD; REMOTE; COMPUTER; SYSTEM; RETRIEVAL; CURRENT; PASSWORD; SECURE; INFORMATION; STORAGE; LOCK; MEMORY; DEVICE; ACCESS; POWER; SELF; TEST

Derwent Class: T01; W01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-001/24 ; H04L-009/00

File Segment: EPI

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XRPX Acc No: N01-150063

User identity authentication for computer network, by sending template with biometric data to client and computing primary and secondary messages at host and client respectively, based on which authenticity is judged

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Inventor: GILCHRIST G; VIAVANT S D

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week
US 6167517	A	20001226	US 9858394	A	19980409	200121 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 9858394 A 19980409

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
US 6167517	A	12	H04L-009/08	

Abstract (Basic): US 6167517 A

NOVELTY - User identifier is received from clients (102,104,106) at host systems (108,110,112), and associated template with biometric data is retrieved. Client compares template with biometric sample. Primary message is computed using template, **comparison** result and an **encryption** key. Host computes secondary message using primary message received from client, based on which user is **allowed** to **access** the host system.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The secondary message digest is computed on the host system using template, comparison result indicating successful match between biometric sample and template, and encryption key. The templates are retrieved from database of templates by the host system. The template includes fingerprint data, retinal scan data, voice data or handwriting data. INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

(a) Apparatus for authenticating identity of user;

(b) User authentication program

USE - Used for computer network.

ADVANTAGE - Using the template in computing the message, digest provides an additional measure of security, because the message digests do not match unless the client also used the template for computing message digest. This indicates that the client computed the comparison result using the same template. The use of randomized number in computing the message digest, prevents a simple mode of attack. Client using comparison threshold prevents malicious user on the client from setting the comparison threshold to an arbitrary low value in order to gain unauthorized access to the host system. Thus, the method achieves secured access of client to the host system.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the client computer system coupled to host system through network.

Clients (102,104,106)

Host systems (108,110,112)

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Title Terms: USER; IDENTIFY; AUTHENTICITY; COMPUTER; NETWORK; SEND; TEMPLATE; DATA; CLIENT; COMPUTATION; PRIMARY; SECONDARY; MESSAGE; HOST; CLIENT; RESPECTIVE; BASED; AUTHENTICITY; JUDGEMENT

Derwent Class: S05; T01; T04; T05; W01; W04

International Patent Class (Main): H04L-009/08
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XRFX Acc No: N99-413298

Restricting scheme of execution of unlicensed or virus-infected software on a hardware platform - includes using private key stored in embedded security coprocessor or code key obtained by coprocessor and comparing keys to determine if access is allowed

Patent Assignee: INT BUSINESS MACHINES CORP (IBM)

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week
RD 425106	A	19990910	RD 99425106	A	19990820	199947 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): RD 99425106 A 19990820

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
RD 425106	A	2	G06F-000/00	

Abstract (Basic): RD 425106 A

NOVELTY - An embedded security coprocessor can be used to sign an executable using a private key stored in the coprocessor and the signature is compared to an attached signature on the executable to determine if execution is to be allowed. The coprocessor can also be used to obtain a DES key, which is used to decrypt the executable before it is run or the header of the executable can be decrypted using a DES key obtained via the hardware security coprocessor. The executable would be hashed and the two **hashes compared**, to determine if execution will be allowed.

USE - Restricting execution of unlicensed or virus-infected software on a hardware platform.

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Title Terms: RESTRICT; SCHEME; EXECUTE; VIRUS; INFECT; SOFTWARE; HARDWARE; PLATFORM; PRIVATE; KEY; STORAGE; EMBED; SECURE; CODE; KEY; OBTAIN; COMPARE; KEY; DETERMINE; ACCESS; ALLOW

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-000/00

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XRPX Acc No: N98-155051

ID code protection device for mobile radio telephone - stores ID number and encrypted ID number in memory and performs comparison with input number each time telephone is to be used to authorise or prevent access

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Number of Countries: 021 Number of Patents: 004

Patent Family:

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EP 835007	A1	19980408	EP 97202313	A	19970724	199818 B
JP 10094058	A	19980410	JP 97203521	A	19970729	199825
KR 98010987	A	19980430	KR 9737432	A	19970731	199916
CN 1175830	A	19980311	CN 97116150	A	19970731	200209

Priority Applications (No Type Date): FR 969640 A 19960731

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Abstract (Basic): EP 835007 A

The device has an ID number (ESN) which is stored in device memory (54). The ID number is encrypted using and this encrypted code is also stored in the memory. These codes are placed in memory during device manufacture.

Each time the device is used, an active protection **comparison** system (K10) **encrypts** an incoming number and compares it with the stored encrypted number. If the numbers agree, the mechanism is activated and the stored ID number is re-encrypted.

USE - AMPS, TAC or ETAC system.

ADVANTAGE - Provides improved protection against fraudulent use without utilising constructor code. Low cost.

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Title Terms: ID; CODE; PROTECT; DEVICE; MOBILE; RADIO; TELEPHONE; STORAGE;
ID; NUMBER; ENCRYPTION; ID; NUMBER; MEMORY; PERFORMANCE; COMPARE; INPUT;
NUMBER; TIME; TELEPHONE; AUTHORISE; PREVENT; ACCESS

Derwent Class: P85; W01

International Patent Class (Main): G09G-003/28; H04K-001/02; **H04L-009/32** ;
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International Patent Class (Additional): G09C-001/00

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XRPX Acc No: N00-395259

Authorizing film holder to access remote look-up table of film photo
finishing data , matching encrypted segments of access code

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Number of Countries: 027 Number of Patents: 003
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EP 1016926	A2	20000705	EP 99204275	A	19991213	200049 B
JP 2000231162	A	20000822	JP 99365608	A	19991222	200055
US 6222993	B1	20010424	US 98221942	A	19981228	200125

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 98221942 A 19981228

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US 6222993	B1			G03B-017/02	

Abstract (Basic): EP 1016926 A2

NOVELTY - Film is registered by docking (138) in input device and reading first segment of identifier marked on film, which includes one or both segments of access code. One segment of access code is encryption of other segment. User or holder of film can only access data stored in look-up table (12) if code value obtained by decrypting first segment , matches second segment.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - Film is registered by docking in input device and reading first segment of identifier marked on film. Identifier includes one or both segments of access code. One segment is encryption of other. User or holder of film can only access data stored in look-up table (12) if code value obtained by decrypting first segment , matches second segment. Key used to decrypt encrypted first segment of access code, is maintained and supplied by input or photo finishing unit (14), or by gatekeeper part of look-up table. Key is based on symmetric encryption-decryption algorithm or asymmetric encryption-decryption algorithm.

USE - To access film photo finishing data stored in remote look-up table for one-time use camera.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - View of system including access coded film unit.

Look-up table (12)
Photo finishing unit (14)
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Title Terms: FILM; HOLD; ACCESS; REMOTE; UP; TABLE; FILM; PHOTO; FINISH;
DATA; MATCH; ENCRYPTION; SEGMENT; ACCESS; CODE

Derwent Class: P82; P84; S06; T01

International Patent Class (Main): G03B-017/02; G03B-027/46; G03D-015/00

International Patent Class (Additional): G03B-017/24; G03B-017/48;
G03B-027/72; G06F-017/30

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XRPX Acc No: N98-166604

Financial services subscriber access method e.g. for remote banks, insurance companies - using unique identifiers for each customer and each card which are verified when card is used by comparison with stored ID data and encrypted data sent from card via communications network

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Abstract (Basic): FR 2753860 A

The method involves the bank or insurance company providing each of their customers with a credit card type card (10) which contains unique identifiers for each card and for each customer. The card generates short acoustic encrypted ID signals of DTMF type when it is used.

The acoustic signals are received at a microphone and transmitted to the bank or insurance company via a communications network. The ID signals are processed and decrypted and compared with the ID data for the card and for the customer and **access** to services is **permitted** if they coincide.

ADVANTAGE - Allows subscribers rapid remote **access** to bank or insurance services while preventing fraudulent access or use of stolen card.

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Title Terms: FINANCIAL; SERVICE; SUBSCRIBER; ACCESS; METHOD; REMOTE; BANK; INSURANCE; COMPANY; UNIQUE; IDENTIFY; CUSTOMER; CARD; VERIFICATION; CARD; COMPARE; STORAGE; ID; DATA; ENCRYPTION; DATA; SEND; CARD; COMMUNICATE;

NETWORK

Derwent Class: P85; T01; T05; U23; W01

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Compressed file name generating method in client-server system, involves comparing generated file names, based on which file command is executed with respect to file identified by particular file name

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US 6134597	A	13	G06F-015/16	

Abstract (Basic): US 6134597 A

NOVELTY - The server is activated by a request from user and without reference to any prompting for user assigned credentials to build respective input strings with user profile from respective requests, user attitude and hidden key. File names are generated by concatenating tags generated by hashing input strings with fixed identifiers. The file names are compared based on which file command is executed.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - User attribute and a hidden key value are stored at server. Initial request including file name, user profile and file data is communicated from user to server. The server is operated in response to initial request and without reference to any prompting for user assigned credentials. A first input string including the user profile is built from initial request, user attribute and hidden key value. The first input string is hashed to generate a first tag which is concatenated with fixed identifier to generate a first file name for file data. The first data identified by first file name is stored. A subsequent request including user profile, file name and file command is communicated to server from user. The server is operated at session initialization in the same manner to build a second input string. A **second file** name is generated by concatenating second tag generated by hashing second input string. The **second file** name is **compared** with **first file** name and if they are equal, the file command is executed with respect to **file** identified by **first file** name. INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

(a) server system;

(b) client **access** **authorizing** program

USE - In client-server system such as in TCP/IP or Internet environment.

ADVANTAGE - Provides a system for identifying objects with a user unique, compressed tag. Provides a user unique, compressed tag in a manner which is transparent to the user. Provides a user unique, compressed tag from publicly available information.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows conceptual diagram illustrating several programming entities and objects of client-server system.

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Title Terms: COMPRESS; FILE; NAME; GENERATE; METHOD; CLIENT; SERVE; SYSTEM;
COMPARE; GENERATE; FILE; NAME; BASED; FILE; COMMAND; EXECUTE; RESPECT;
FILE; IDENTIFY; FILE; NAME
Derwent Class: T01
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User authentication for data accessing in computer system, involves comparing identity information received from user with identity information in authenticating computer to authenticate user to access required data

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Abstract (Basic): WO 200019300 A1

NOVELTY - The user's computer remote from authenticating entity stores **encrypted data**. The authenticating computer at authenticating entity **compares** identity **information** received from user with a prestored identity information, so that if both information are correlated, user is authenticated to access desired data by automatically providing an access key.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for user authentication system.

USE - For authenticating data accessing by user in computer system.

ADVANTAGE - **Allows** user to gain **access** to computer data even if password is forgotten while maintaining the data security.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the security system.
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Title Terms: USER; AUTHENTICITY; DATA; ACCESS; COMPUTER; SYSTEM; COMPARE;
IDENTIFY; INFORMATION; RECEIVE; USER; IDENTIFY; INFORMATION; AUTHENTICITY
; COMPUTER; AUTHENTICITY; USER; ACCESS; REQUIRE; DATA

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-001/00; G06F-001/26

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